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CONTROLLING STEAM TURBINE INLET  
FLOW TO LIMIT SHELL AND ROTOR  
THERMAL STRESS

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**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Sir:

Enclosed herewith are two (2) sheet(s) of formal, inked drawings for the above-identified application. These drawings are believed to satisfy the substitute drawing requirement set forth in the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated January 21, 2004, a copy of which is returned herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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